#### **AMENDMENT**

#### In the claims:

## Please replace present claim 15 with the following claim 15:

15. (Thrice amended) The peptide of claim 27 wherein comprises RIALRYYRLAIR (SEE ID NO:40), YRLAIRRIALRY (SEQ ID NO:36), RIALRYRILLRY (SEQ ID NO:41) or YRLLIRYRLAIR (SEQ ID NO:42).

# Please replace present claim 16 with the following claim 16:

16. (Thrice amended) The peptide of claim 27 which is
YRLAIRLNERRENLRIALRY (SEQ ID NO:26) or YRLAIRLNERYRLAIRLNER (SEQ ID NO:31).

## Please replace present claim 17 with the following claim 17:

17. (Thrice amended) The peptide of claim 27 which is YRLAIRRIALRY (SEQ ID NO:36).